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E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: WHO, KS, KN, JA

SUBJECT: KOREAN QUESTION IN WHO

REF: (A) GENEVA 1583 (NOTAL) (B) GENEVA 1692

(C) TOKYO 4473

SUMMARY. MOFA REQUESTS ADDITIONAL USG LOBBYING. END SUMMARY.

1. MOFA INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS DIVISION CHIEF JONG TOLD US APRIL 13 THAT ROK IS ASKING USG TO LOBBY FOR POSTPONEMENT OF NORTH KOREAN WHA APPLICATION WITH ARGENTINA, AUSTRALIA, FRANCE, IRAN, ITALY, MALAYSIA, NEPAL, NETHERLANDS, SINGAPORE, SRI LANKA AND SWITZERLAND IN ADDITION TO THE COUNTRIES LISTED IN PARA 3 OF REFTEL (A).

2. JONG SAID MOFA FEELS THAT MULTIPLE LOBBYING EFFORT IS NECESSARY WHERE GOVERNMENTS ARE UNDECIDED ON THE KOREAN QUESTION. JONG WENT ON TO SAY, MOREOVER, THAT THE MAIN BURDEN WILL BE ON THE US, WITH THE OTHER COUNTRIES LOBBYING ONLY TO AUGMENT OUR EFFORTS. EMBOFF REMINDED JONG THAT MAIN BURDEN WILL BE ON THE ROK AND RECEIVED ASSURANCE THAT ROK IS GOING ALL OUT TO LEAD
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THE CAMPAIGN FOR POSTPONEMENT.

3. JONG EXPRESSED DISAPPOINTMENT THAT JAPAN HAS NOT YET
AGREED TO LOBBY AT WHO.

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